

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants : Jacques Paris et al.  
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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE TO JULY 12, 2011 OFFICE ACTION  
AND PETITION FOR A ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This is a response to a July 12, 2011 Office Action issued in connection with the above-identified application. A response to the July 12, 2011 Office Action was originally due October 12, 2011. Applicants hereby petition for a one-month extension of time. The fee for a one-month extension of time is ONE HUNDRED FIFTY DOLLARS (\$150.00) and authorization is hereby given to charge this \$150.00 amount to Deposit Account No. 03-3125. With a one-month extension of time, a response to the July 12, 2011 Office Action is now due November 12, 2011. However, since November 12, 2011 is a Saturday, a response filed on or before November 14, 2011 is to be considered timely filed. Accordingly, this Response is being timely filed.

**Remarks** begin on page 2 of this paper.